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THE INTEGRITY OF A MESSAGE BY MEANS OF A PUBLIC EXPONENT  
EQUAL TO THE POWER OF TWO

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 11 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes in the Appendix.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 13 of this paper.